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US Forces

22. MAY 1960

SUBJECT: Tripartite Operational-Level Plan for Berlin  
Airlift and Air Access Contingencies (S)

TO:

Chairman, United States Joint Chiefs of Staff  
The Pentagon  
Washington 25, D. C.

1. In General Palmer's letter to you of 18 May 1960, he advised that the Commander in Chief, United States Air Forces in Europe, had submitted a tripartite operational-level plan for Berlin Airlift and Air Access Contingencies.

2. I have approved this plan. A copy is attached at Inclosure 1.

3. I have similarly informed the Chief of Staff of National Defense, France, and the Chief of the Defence Staff, United Kingdom, and have requested them to prepare supporting national plans.

4. The Commander in Chief, United States Army, Europe, and the Commander in Chief, United States Air Forces in Europe, have been directed to provide the necessary United States support for the plan.

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JCS DECLASSIFICATION BRANCH  
DATE 13 Jan 1982.....

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Signed  
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